

Proposed Bill No. 5230

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LCO No. 880

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by: REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL RETARDATION TO ENHANCE SUPPORT SERVICES FOR PARENTS OF SPECIAL NEEDS CHILDREN.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars be appropriated to
- 2 the Department of Mental Retardation, from the General Fund, for the
- 3 fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, to the pilot programs for client
- 4 services account in order to promote support services for parents with
- 5 special needs children.

Statement of Purpose:

To offer support services and financial assistance to families of special needs children.